MARKET STARTS OFF WITH TRE-MENDOUS ENERGY.

Being Onite Animated and With an Up ward Tendency Which Achieves Gains Throughout the List, Commission House Orders and London Buying Being in Evidence-Sugar, However, Runs Wild Among Other Stocks and Reeps Them Cosettled, the Final Result Being Fractional Net Gains.

New York, Dec. 8.-The stock market spened this morning with a tremendous show of animation and vigorous upward terdency, gains being uniform pretty much throughout the list. It was evident that Dec the strength displayed by the market yesson houses to buy stocks. There was also buying for London account, for the first time in several days, the advance in prices here aparently failing to tempt arbitrage brokers to self. The purchase of St. Paul were on quite a large scale and they also bought Union Pacific, but they were sales of Louisville and Atchison for the commission of the commiss brokers to seal. The purpose of St. Paul 12 of 20 of 2

and it is said, breaking the record for one hour's business. There was some decrease in activity later in the day, but the tone in activity later in the day, but the tone of the market continued strong and prices of a number of honds of the middle grade moved up from I to 3 points. Some of the high-grade bonds showed heavy gains, Michigan Central fives of 1801 rising 5½ Receipts today; Wheat, 26 cars; corn, 359; oats, 304. Estimated car lots tomorrow: White and Northern consols of 1801 gaining 3½ per cent; Louisville and Nashville, P. and A. division, fives, 3 per cry, 1862; dairly, 18819c. of 1831 gaining 3% per cent; Louisville and Nashville, P. and A. division, fives, 3 per cent; and Northern Pacific terminal firsts.

per cent. Missouri Pacific collateral fives also gained 5% points. Total sales, \$4,250,-

Government old fours, registered, declined 14 per cent, and the coupon 14 per cent bid, but the fives rose % per cent bid; the per cent. which is higher than ever before. New

Northern Pacific Ranway contract billion of the Pacific Ranks City.

Unlisted securities: Hawalian Commercial and Sugar company, \$10,000,000 capital stock, (100 shares, \$100 each, on which \$12 per share has been paid in cash.) LOANS AND EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 8 .- Money on call nomfinally at 11600 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3674 per cent; sterling exchange, stendy, with actual business in bankers' ills at \$4.85% for demand and at \$4.82%@ \$4.83 for sixty days; posted rates \$4.83%; silver certificates, %grad; bar silver, 594; Mexican dollars, 46%.

FOREIGN STOCKS. New York, Dec. 8.-The Evening Post's

Lordon financial cablegram says: markets were today inactive, but cheerful, the features being the buopancy of Americans and Argentines. In the former case the tone was entirely due to New York support. There was a good feeling here, but little action. So apathetic are dealers that Secretary Gage's currency plans had little effect. Of course, it is felt that if this scheme for an Issue of 25 per cent bonds repayable, principal and inter-est, in gold coin, is carried through, a great stride will be made toward currency reform. Prices closed at the best. Southen railway preferred was especially good, Grand Trunks were booming and all decriptions of Canadian securities, includfog Hudson Bay shares, were good. Argen-tines were bought from influential quarters. It was urged that with the resumption soon of full interest the bonds are cheap. Apropos of the rise in Argentines, privately that a meeting of what is known as the Rothschilds con tee has been called for Friday. It is believ-

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STOCKS AND BONDS of that some statement is coming relative to the payment of arrears of interest.

Mines were dull, Silver was flat on the announcement that the Indian government will offer forty lakhs of bills, when only ten was expected. The Paris markets were firm, and the Berlin market irregular."

TREASURY STATEMENT. Washington, Dec. 8.-Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$2.27,145,496; gold reserve, \$158,191,669, which is greater than at any time since August, 1899, when it was \$185,837,581.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CHICAGO. The following official range of prices on grain and provicions at Chicago is furnish-ed by the Christie-Street Commission Co., Board of Trade Room, Sedgwick Block, Wichita, Kan.:

Articles, Open, High. Low. Close, yestd'y May 89%6% Corn:

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Cash wheat, No. 2 red \$1.00; No. 2, 92584; No. 2 spring, 88589; No. 2 spring, 85852; No. 2 hard winter, 89590; No. 3 hard winter, 84587; No. 1 new spring 1100.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 1592; dairly, 15919c.

Eags—Firm: fresh, 20c.
Drassed poultry—Steady; turkeys, and chickens, 5674; ducks, 568c.

THE DECEMBER WHEAT DEAL, Minneapolis, Minn, Dec. 8.—The Journal prints today some interesting goestp about the Chicago December wheat deal. The clique views with composure the Armour plan of buying wheat in the Minneapolis market, shipping it to Chicago and delivering it under contract so late in December that the freezing of the river will prevent its shipment east. It is supposed that Armarket, shipping it to Chicago and delivering till under contract so late in December
fours, registered, 12%; coupon, 12%; fours,
112%; coupon, 114; Pacific sixes of '8, 100%.

THE SUGAR DIVIDEND.

New York, Dec. 8.—The directors of the
American Sugar Refining company have
declared the regular dividends on the common and preferred stocks at the rate of
3 per cent on the common and 1% per cent
on the preferred stocks at the rate of
3 per cent on the common and 1% per cent
on the preferred stock.

NEW STOCKS LISTED.

New York, Dec. 8.—The governors of the
stock exchange teday authorized the listing of the following securities:

Northern Pacific Railway company, 51.

SX.000 additional prior lien railway and land
SX.000 additional prior lien rail

grant 4 per cent gold coupon bonds.

Central Pacific Railway company, 12,0M.
000 fifty-year 5 per cent mortgage gold
bonds, (bond-holders agreement.)

into Chicago.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Dec. 8.—Wheat—Receipts, 57 care; about it higher: No. 1 hard, 55; No. 1, 80982; No. 4, 774-2754; No. red, 94; No. 2, 93; mixed, 87; No. 3, 91; No. 4, 88; No. 2 spring, 81%; No. 3, 789

Corn-Firm; some cases higher; No. 2 mixed, 234,6234.
Oats—Active, firm; No. 2 white, 236,234.
Rye—Firm; No. 2, Mc.
Hay—Active; firm for better grades; prairie, choice, \$7,256,750; choice timothy, \$8.50

ter-Creamery, slow but steady; 18@ 20c; dairy, 13915c. Eggs-Active; firm; fresh, 18%; storage, ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Dec. 8.—Receipts—Flour, 2,000; wheat, 34,000; corn, 196,000; cats, 19,000. Shipments—Flour, 6,000; wheat, 15,000; corn, 212,000;coats, 56,000.

corn, 212,000 cars, 56,000.

Four-Firm; unchanged.
Wheat-Higher; classing with December Pic; May is to be, and July be above yesterday. May opened 148 he higher, sold off tie, advanced he, relapsed tie and closed with buyers he below the top. Spot higher; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 95; track, 514; No. 2 hard, 56985; December, 99; January, 91; May, 22h; July, 814; asked.
Corn-Futures closed the same as yesterday, after selling 1-16c lower and 1-16c higher. Spot lower; No. 2 cash and December, 241; January, 214; May, 224,63

Oats-Futures strong; but dull; sellers be-

Rye—Quiet; 614. Finxseed—Lower; 51.08 Hay—Quiet; prairie, \$7.0068.59. Timothy, \$1.06510.50

Eggs-Easy; 174c. Pork-Quiet; standard mess, jobbing.

Lard-Lower; prime steam, \$4.12%. Choice dling, \$ 7-2. Futures barely steady. NEW YORK

NEW YORK.

New York. Dec. 8.—Flour—Receipts, II.—511 barrels: exports, \$548. Firmly held, but quiet and no higher.

Wheat—Receipts, 96,300 bushels: exports, 118,822. Spot firm; No. 2 red, 98. Options opened firm and with few exceptions ruled strong all day, influenced by another squeeze of December shorts, small north-wastern receipts, unexpected decrease in the world's stock and French buying, closed 5,681c net higher; No. 2 red May, 20%; December, 375.

Decamber, 97%. December, 8745.

Corn-Receipts, 112,125 bushels; exports, 25,867. Spot firm: No. 2, 284. Options opened steady and were dull all day with some firmness on near months, owing to heavy export purchases, closed unchanged to be net higher; May, 334; December, 252,67.

Liverpool, Dec. 8.—Wheat—No. 1 red forthern spring, steady, 7s 7d. BRADSTREET'S VISIBLE.

New York, Dec. 8.—Special telegraphic and cable dispatches to Bradstreet's, covering the principal points of accumulation indicate the following changes in available supplies last Saturday as compared with the preceding Saturday:

Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies increase **Storn bushels.**

with the preceding Saturday:

Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 233,000 bushels; affoat for and in Europe, decrpase, Liverpool Corn Trade News, 700,000 bushels; world's supply, net decrease 447,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 290,000 bushels.

Outs—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increases 37,000 bushels.

A decided shifting of available stocks of wheat is indicated by the reports to Bradstreet's this week. The larger increases include 200,000 bushels in northwest interfor elevators, 132,000 bushels at New Orleans; 121,000 bushels in Chicago private elevators, 58,000 bushels at Cleveland and 40,000 bushels at Rochester.

The larger decreases, however, include a failing off of about 1,00,000 bushels in Manitoba and at Fort William, and Keewatin, Ont.; 72,000 bushels at Galveston; 45,000 bushels in Milwaukee prive elevators and 45,000 bushels at Port Huron.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Dec. S.—Carle—Receipts, 5.—

80, or which 1,000 are Texans. Market 10 cents lower for natives; Texans 5 to 10c lower. Native shipping steers, \$1.2065.30; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$1.6061.10; light steers, \$1.2064.50; stockers and feeders, \$1.2064.10; cows and helfers, \$1.2064.10; cows and helfers, \$1.2062.25; heavy, \$2.3061.35.

Hogs.—Receipts, \$2.00. Market 5 cents lower. Light, \$1.2062.25; mixed, \$3.2062.20; heavy, \$2.3061.35.

Sheep—Receipts, \$1.000. Market 10 cents lower. Native muttons, \$3.5064.20; lambs, \$1.3065.75.

WICHITA MARRECS.

HOGS. Wicolta, Kan., Dec. 8. REPRESENTATIVE SALES. No. Dock, Av Price. No. Dock. 40 160

83 CATTLE. Cattle-Steady. REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

Shippers, Bohr & Son, Sheron, car hogs.

J. D. Spangler, Sharon, car of hogs.
John Pratt. Spiva, car of hogs.
George Kenoyer, Leon, car of hogs.
M. H. Brooks, Anthony, car of hogs.
John Surioff, Belle Plains, car of hogs.

COTTON.

New York, Dec. 8.-The cotton market opened with the more active months I to points lower under Liverpool seiling, earish cables and a report that Neill had raised his crop estimate to 11,000,000 bales. A steady undertone prevailed in the local arket, however, on a general indisposition of traders on this side to put much reliance in the Neill estimate, whether great or small. The early loss was soon recovered on light local buying and increased piurchases by commission houses, said to be for Wall street account. Selling was Manchester strike had been called off. At but steady at about the closing prices of bales. Closing quotations: Spot dull; mil-dling uplands, 5 15-16; middling gulf, 64. Putures steady; sales 92,800 bales; January, ing scarce and asking an advance. Spot 1177; February, 15.78; March, 15.80; April, higher; No. 2 cash, elevator, 21; track, 214; S.S; May, E.S; June, 15.88; July, 15.90; No. 2 white, 24; December, 21; May, 224; August 15.70; Contember 25.00; October August, \$6.61; September \$6.60; October 28.66; December, \$5.95.

New Orleans, Dec. 8.—Cotton—Steady; sales 4,900 bales; ordinary, 44c; good ordinary, 4%; low middling, 4 15-16c; middling, good middling, 512; middling fair,

Liverpool, Dec. 8.-2 p. m.-Cotton-Spot, fair demand, prices lower. American mid-

WOOL MARKET

Boston, Dec. 8.-The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow of the

wool market: so lifeless for months. It is generally adm'tted, however, that the mills are grinding up the raw material very fast. All things neldered, the actual amount must be pretty nearly if not quite at the rate of 600,000,000 pounds per year. Such a showing affords great encouragement to the ol trade and the predictions are still rife that the prices will, not long hence, be fully on a level with those of October 1. It is increasingly difficult to speak of act-Cats-Receipts, 22.80 bushels; exports, ual prices in this market. The quotations are unchanged, and while an intensely dull all day, closing unchanged; May, Th:

market always raises the presumption of December, 20%c.

California dried fruits—Quiet and firm: evaporated apples, common, 56%c per pound; prime wire tray, 70.65; wood dried, prime, 8%c; choice, 8%; fancy, 96%. Pruncs, 25%c per pound, as to size and quality. Apricots, Royal, 70.8%c per pound; Moor Park, 96%c, PBaches, unperiod, 76%c per pound; peeled, 196%c.

Butter—Receipts, 5.5% packages; steady;

market always raises the presumption of concessions, it would be difficult to put one's finger on actual mark-downs, at the time. As a matter of fact, there are hard-ly burgers enough around to break the market. There has been a big failing off in the sale of Australian, owing to the fact that will there are a number of persons who would be gird to pick up round market always raises the presumption of concessions, it would be difficult to put one's finger on actual mark-fowns, at this

western creamery, 20624; Elgins, 24; factory, 114,69144.

Eggs—Receipts, 4,299 packages: firm; state and Pennsylvania, 21665; western, 21 624c.

Liverpool.

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SPAIN IS SILENCED of the week in Boston amount to 1,600,000 pounds foreign, making a total of 2,690,000 pounds.

SECRETARY GAGE GIVES PIGURES. against a total of 4,552,000 pounds for the

previous week." DET GOODS MARKETS

New York, Dec. 8.-The dry goods market showed no change today from the dull conditions of the earlier days of the week. In staple cottons today the trading in both brown and bleached goods has been dull ginghams are in practically the same con dition that they were at the close of last week, and the more staple fancles are dull. Print cloths nominally 24c.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 8.-At a general secting of the cotton manufacturers to day, it was voted unanimously to redu time of the reduction being left to a comof the matter. It is understood that the will affect 28,000 operatives, who are paid an aggregate weekly wage of \$180,000. The price of print cloths for a long tim

has been the lowest in the history of the trade, while the demand has been only fair. Under these conditions the mills have been selling at a loss and the stock of goods has been increasing. The committee has obtained the signature

of every manufacturer in the city, except one, who is understood to be D. A. Bray-ton, of the Durfee mill, a private cor-

ing a cut of print cloth will be reduced from 18 to 16 cents, In August, 1894, a cut of 10 per cent was ordered, but in April of the next year an advance by the Fall River Iron company of the same amount necessitated similar action on the part of the rest of the mills, and wages have been paid on this basis ever since. The attitude of the employes

they have had a chance to talk it over and none of the labor leaders will say

much about the subject until meetings

The feeling is prevalent that before the how large a proportion of the operatives will take part, it is impossible to say.

COFFEE AND SUGAR MARKET

ed steady at unchanged prices. Showed a rather weak undertone in the absence of outside support and a local disposition to try the market on short side in view of unsatisfactory cables, heavy supplies and unchanged prices to 5 points net decline; December, \$1.8095.85; March \$6.6096.65; Spot coff-Rio grm; No. 7 invoice, 54. No. 7 jebbing, 7c. Mild-Cordova, quiet, 84@15. Sugar-Raw strong: fair refining, 3%; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 15-16; refined firm

THE WEATHER

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 8, 1897. Local forecast for Wichita and vicinity Fair weather Thursday and Friday; colder

During the past 24 hours the highest temperature has been 61, the lowest 21, and the mean 46, with clear, warm weather, barometer.

The river stands at one foot on the gauge and is free from ice except in sheltered places along the shore.

Thus far this month the average tempersture has been 30.

For the past nine years the average temperature for the month of December has been 38, and for the 8th day, 39. FRED L. JOHNSON, Observer Washington, Dec. &-Forecast for Thurs-

Kansas-Fair, but with increased cloud-iness Thursday, probably colder Thursday night; southerly winds, becoming varia

Oklahoma and Indian Territory-Fair Thursday; warm Thursday and slightly

colder Thursday night; southerly winds,

shifting to northwesterly.

At this time of the year a cold is very easily contracted, and if left to run its course without the aid of some reliable cough medicine is liable to result in that dread disease, pneumonia. know of no better remedy to cure a cough or cold than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it quite extensively and it has always given entire satisfaction-Olagan, Ind. Ter. Chief. This is the only remedy that is known to be a certain preventive of pneumonia.

Among the many thousands who have used it for colds and la grippe, we have never yet learned of a single case having resulted in pneumonis. Persons who have weak lungs or have reason to fear an attack of pneumonia, should keep the remedy at hand. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by druggists.

ACTRESS TRAMPS A LIVE WIRE

Performance in a Kansas City Theatre Stopped Very Suddenly Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 8.-As Mies Flo Irwin ,the star of the "Widow Jones" company, tripped on the stage at a local theatre last evening in the middle of the third act, her foot caught an electric wire that had been carelessly left exposed across the floor from her dressing room to the stage. She was so shocked by the current that she fainted as she reached the stage. The curtain was rung down and the performance closed abruptly. Miss Irwin was carried to her room, It required twenty minutes persistent attention to restore her to consciousness and it was an hour later before she was able to be taken to her hotel. This morning the actrees was apparently none the

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SECRETARY GAGE GIVES FIGURES ON FILIBUSTERING.

Small Craft, Having a Total Capacity of Only About 1300 Tone, are Alleged Might Bave Turned Fitibusterers Spain Delighted With the Message.

Washington, Dec. 8 .- Secretary Gage as submitted to the department of state his report upon the action of the treasury department in suppressing fillbustering expeditions to Cuba in violation of the neutrality laws, a synopsis it will go into effect January 1. The cut of which, was furnished by the department, is as follows: Secretary Gage put out the fact that

> during two years and a half only six American vessels, of an eggregate of 1,331 registered tons, are alleged to have successfully landed expeditions from the United States in Cuba. With the exception of the Laurada, the six American vessels alleged to have successfully taken part in expeditions in Cuban waters are small tugs and a pilot boat, each of less than 100 tone and obviously incapable of carrying large numbers of men or large quantities of arms and ammuni tions. Three foreign vessels, of an aggregate of 1,773 tons, are alleged to have been successful in the same effort. Referring to these foreign vessels, the Norwegian eteamer Leon, the Danish steamer Horsa and the British steame Bermuda, the secretary invites attention to the fact that the crews of these ves sels are required to be shipped before in accord with the laws of those nations which elso impose on the masters of those vessels various other duties to be performed by the consuls. He suggests that the inquiry might be pertinent whether the Spanish authorities informed these consuls that alleged expeditions and whether, if not, some measure of respanishility does not rest on the Spanish authorities for the alleged departure of informed, whether the same measur of responsibility does not rest upon them. This suggestion is made, not to shift responsibility but to show that if these alleged expeditions started without the knowledge of treasury officials, they also

ficials of other nations. "On the Atlantic and Gulf coasts in 1896," says Secretary Gage, "there were 10,688 vessels under 200 tons and 2,917 vessels of 1,100 tons or less, a total of 13,585 American vessels, of a description and locality available for fillbustering purposes. That only six out of 13,585 American vessels succeeded in reaching Cube and that less than fifty had any share in these expeditions," Secretary Gage snys, "is a demonstration, first, of the law-abiding spirit of the nation and of the obedience of the people to the to be liwies and violete our obligations a few days after her departure. as a neutral nation, and of a belief that from the exceptionally high money re- detained at dock, but seized after

departed without the knowledge of of-

cruised 75,788 miles, occupying 189 months in the aggregate, patrolling the coast to prevent filloustering expediter to be left in their own hands. tions. They have captured seven vessels and 115 men; have broken up two picion. From time to time severa lother department a better measure of temporary duty."

Perhaps the strongest statement in the efficiency.

report is this: "If the Spanish patrol of 2,200 miles of Cuban coast had frustrated one-half the number of expeditions which were frusalong a coast line of 5,470 miles, not one man nor one cartridge would have been illicitly landed in Cuba from the United tions, only four have been broken up by

particularly to the expedition that left, West Indies, which will naturally reon the Laurada from Bultimore and quire time. landed at Banes on March 21. Banes is an important seaport on the northeast coast of Cuba with which the United cortes, call a general election for the States carried on a valuable fruit trade until the Spanish order prohibiting the export of bananas was issued.

CLINCHES THE CASE.

In all sixty alleged expeditions are examined. Of these Secretary Gage shows that twenty-eight have been frustraind through the efforts of the treasury department; five have been frustrated by the United States navy; have been frustrated by Spain; two have been wrecked, one driven back by storm; one failed from a combination of causes, one, the Delaware, he declines to recog nize as other than a violation of the British foreign enlistment act. Spain has suffered no injury from these forty-three failures, it is assumed that of the general public. they will be accepted by Spain as evidence of the success of the United States in maintaining its obligations, and that a detailed statement concern ing each is unnecessary.

In the latest secretary Goge then examines in destyle of the tail the seventeen slieged successful exact at this peditions. He points out the partial success in one case was due to the weakness of the Spanish patrol of the Cuban coast; that in one case the Spanish suthorities at New York have exonerated the officers of the freakury department from all responsibility; that in one case the Spanish minister disagree with the legal adviser of the Spanish legation and also disagrees with himself as to the date of the alleged successful expedition, and the department has no inany proceeding be instituted; that in wrecked and proceedings against them of friendship for Spain and of respect officials here announced today that the are obviously impracticable, while the principal in one case is imprisoned, as mits that the message was "addressed tary district of Saneti Spiritus, province lelow; that in five cases the principals to congress principally and in language, of Santa Clara, acting in conjunction, mave been sentenced to imprisconnent which, though not intended to please have been engaged at the Delicias farm or are in prison; that in one case the Spain, will among jingoes and fillbuster- with an insurgent force under General vessel is under British jurisdiction and ers." custot, therefore, he reached by the The Marquis Villamejor, a member of it is further stated, exptured the insurbeen serioused to imprisonment in this gasts, the premier, offering 10,000 pounds munition and the medicine chest. The occuping as above; that in three cases (\$55,900) to start a national subscription insurgents, it appears, left twenty-due the vessels have been libelled for forfelt- for the increase of the first, are on evidence furnished in part by Tomorrow the Carlist deputies will five soldiers killed and had two officers this department, and are awaiting the meet to discuss President McKinley's and taxagty-three men wounded,

Girl Invalids.

How sad it is to see a young woman slowly losing her health. But thousands of girls do become helpless in realids every year. At first there is just a little irregularity on weakness. Then they have to remain in bed two or three days every mouth. After awhile they never feel well at all. They lose interest in everything and don't care very much whether they live longer or not.

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one out of twentygirlsor women who are invalids need to be invalids. If they would take Wine of Carsymptom of trouble nine-

well. This great remedy will cure nearly every case of any kind of "female trou-ble." It will do that even when the dis-case has as-sumed an ag-gravated form and physi-cians have failed to control it. These

statements but the record Wine of Cardui has made substanstatements but the record Wine of Cardui has made substantiates them. More than two thousand women buy Wine of Cardui every day. They take it for everytrouble that comes under the head of "female complaints." And they are benefitted by it. Afry druggist will tell you he never hears a complaint about Wine of Cardui. Give Wine of Cardui to a dull listless girl and you will be surprised at the result. Her eyes will become bright. Her cheeks rosy. Her heart light. Her whole being will glow with health. It's the same way with an older woman. A really healthy woman is a beautiful woman. An unhealthy woman cannot be attractive.

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action of the courts; that in one cases Knickerbocker in one case the libel on the vessel was dismissed by the United States district judge; that in one case the question of instituting proceedings is under consideration; that in one case the department asks time for further investigation. The case of the Silver Heels is included, as the vesset may have been successful, president's proclamation; and, second, of though nothing has been heard from her a wholesome and repressive fear upon soince her departure six weeks ago; she the part of those who might be disposed may have perished in the severe storm

Concerning that case, however, it is their efforts would be frustrated by the to be observed that the collector at authorities of the United States and that New York reports that Mr. Hand, repthe risk of discovery and punishment resenting the Spanish consul, stated to greatly outweighed any chance of profit him that he did not desire the vessel wards offered to vessel owners by the parture therefrom. Mr. Hand and Mr. Thornhill stated to me that they pro-"Eight revenue cutters with crews of posed that the Pinkerton Detectiv agen-217 men, armed with fifteen guns, have cy have the watching of the pier and marshal promptly of the departure of the eloop and that they desired the mat-

Secretary Gage makes no estimate sels and 115 men; have broken up two
expeditions and have held under surbeen very large, deeming the extent and veillance thirteen vessels under sus- results of the work performed by the revenue cutters have been employed on fidelity of its officers to their oaths and a better standard by which to measure

SPAIN I SDELIGHTED.

Madrid, Dec. 8.-The El Imparcial published 7,000 words of President Mo-Kinley's message. It includes the whole trated by the United States authorities text of the message referring to Spain The friendliness of the message surprised the most sanguine expectations of the friends of the government. States. Out of the sixty alleged expedi- is loud praise for President McKinley in official and political circles for having, as they say, thus cleared the way for a Illustrating this statement he refers fair trial of the new colonial policy in the

Meanwhile, the Liberal government can unhesitatingly distrive the old first week in February and convoke a new parliament on March 8.

The Spanish Liberals are particularly pleased with the president's arguments against recognition of the beiligerency of the Cubans and the implicit repudiation tated himself on being "attacked" by of recognition of belligerency, annexa- President McKinley in the message, as tion of the island or extreme interference with the rights of Spain in Cubs. They are equally delighted with that

part of the mersage recognizing how quickly and completely they had reversed the Canovas-Weyler policy and of the nation. the sincerity of their own home rule

Outside of official circles estimaction is ery visible in financial circles and elso El Liberal also, commenting on the

president's message, says: "It is more favorable to Spain then President Cleveland's, because it racog- ceeded. In about the middle of Beyonnizes Spain's intention to enthusiastical- ber a steamer painted black appeared ident McKinley's message. The Social- lead of Joseph Cepera, a naturalized ist-Republican El Pais asserts that the American causen, who, after being beld message is "shameful," as it "implies in a Cubun jail for nearly a year, was the moral bankruptcy of the monarchy." released by the Spanish government last. The Republican Progresso takes the July. The expedition got inland, but

BEGINS TO SMELL DECEIT. Spanish opinion on President McKinley's than at first. It proceeds to impage the cluding a woman. cases the vessels have been sincerity of the president's protestation for international obligation, but it ad-

United States, while the principal has the senate, has written to Senor Sa- gent camp and a quantity of arms, am-

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against the message. According to a dispatch from Barcoons, Lieutenant General Weyler, in the course of an interview there, has felicithis proves that his (Weyler's) policy was displeasing to the enemies of Spain He expressed his surprise that the Spanish government would tolerate such altacks upon the representatives

LANDED THE CARTRIDGES But the Spantards that to Them Before the Insurgents.

Washington, Dec. 8.-News has reached here of the frustration of un attempt to convey a store of munitions of war to the Cuban insurgents just at the moment when it had apparently sucy labor to re-establish peace in Cubz." near Cleafuegoe and landed a stock of The ministerial El Globo praises Pres- ammunition and twenty men under the ground that the message is a great bu- a mouth later the Spanish authorities tion for Remington and Magner rifles La Correspondencia De Espaco, the concentrá in a shallow creek and cor-official organ, says that, after reflection, ried them into town. Later on, Cepero led an attack upon a small town and formation warranting it to request that message to congress is less optimistic killed several of the inhabitants, in-

Havanz, Dec. 1.-The Spanish military columns of troops belonging to the mili-Maximo Gomez. The government troops, men killed on the first. The troops last